pyridyl)amino)ethoxy]benzyl)-2.4-thiazolidinedione, a tautomeric form thereof, and a pharmaceutically acceptable solvate thereof, to a human or non-human mammal in need thereof.

- 18. (new) A method for the treatment of type II diabetes in a human or non-human mammal which comprises administering an effective, non-toxic amount of a compound which is selected from a pharmaceutically acceptable salt of 5-(4-[2-(N-methyl-N-(2-pyridyl)amino)ethoxy]benzyl)-2.4-thiazolidinedione, a tautomeric form of the salt, and a solvate of the salt, to a human or non-human mammal in need thereof.
- 19. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 17, wherein the compound is a pharmaceutically acceptable solvate of 5-(4-[2-(N-methyl-N-(2-pyridyl)amino)ethoxy]benzyl)-2.4-thiazolidinedione.
- 20. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 19, wherein the solvate comprises a hydrate.
- 21. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 17, wherein the compound is in the form of an individual isomer.
- 22. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 17, wherein the compound is in the form of a mixture of isomers.
- 23. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 17, wherein the administering comprises oral administration.
- 24. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 23, wherein the compound is in the form of a tablet or capsule.
- 25. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 17, wherein the administering comprises administering to said human or non-human mammal in need thereof from one to six times per day.

- 26. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 17, wherein the administering comprises administration of a pharmaceutical composition comprising 0.1 mg to 250 mg of the compound.
- 27. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 18, wherein the salt is in the form of a solvate.
- 28. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 27, wherein the solvate comprises a hydrate.
- 29. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 18, wherein the salt comprises a salt of the thiazolidinedione moiety.
- 30. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 29, wherein the salt comprises a metal salt.
- 31. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 29, wherein the salt comprises an alkali metal salt.
- 32. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 29, wherein the salt comprises a lithium salt.
- 33. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 29, wherein the salt comprises a sodium salt.
- 34. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 29, wherein the salt comprises a potassium salt.
- 35. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 18, wherein the compound is in the form of an individual isomer.

- 36. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 18, wherein the compound is in the form of a mixture of isomers.
- 37. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 18, wherein the administering comprises oral administration.
- 38. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 37, wherein the compound is in the form of a tablet or capsule.
- 39. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 18, wherein the administering comprises administering to said human or non-human mammal in need thereof from one to six times per day.
- 40. (new) A method of treatment according to claim 18, wherein the administering comprises administration of a pharmaceutical composition comprising 0.1 mg to 250 mg of the compound.

Fee Calculation for Amended Claims

The fee is calculated as shown below:

	Col 1		Col 2	Col 3	Other than a small entity		
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate .	Additional Fee	
Total	*24	Minus	**20	= 1	x 18 =	72.00	
Indep	* 2	Minus	***3	= 0	x 84 =		
[] First presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim					+ 280 =		
					Total		72.00

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

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